

REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-102 are pending in this application. Upon entry of this Amendment, claim 89 will be amended to address the Examiner's objection of claim 89 and claims 90-97 and 99-102, which depend either directly or indirectly from claim 89. In particular, in the outstanding Office Action of December 16, 2004, the Examiner objected to claim 89, requiring the insertion of the word -- on -- after the word "microfabricated" on line 3 of claim 89. Because this amendment to claim 89 has now been made, the Examiner's objection to claim 89 and dependent claims 90-97 and 99-102 should be withdrawn.

The Examiner is thanked for indicating that claims 1-88 and 98 are allowed.

Accordingly, no further discussion regarding these claims appears in these remarks.

Finally, the Examiner has requested that the application specification be checked to the extent necessary to determine the presence of possible minor errors. A review of the application specification reveals the need for a correction of a typographical error in the Abstract of the Disclosure. In particular, on line 22 of the Abstract of the Disclosure, the word "undefinitely" has been replaced by the word -- indefinitely --.

In view of the foregoing, it is now believed that all of the claims pending in the application, *i.e.*, claims 1-102, are now in condition for allowance, which action is respectfully

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requested. If any issues remain in this application, the Examiner is urged to call the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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